

## Message Text

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: ETRD, EEC

SUBJECT: EC/EFTA ORIGIN RULES

REF: EC BRUSSELS 02223

1. WASHINGTON CURRENTLY PREPARING TO DECIDE ON APPROPRIATE METHOD FOR DEALING WITH EC/EFTA ORIGIN RULES. IN MAKING DECISION, WOULD BE USEFUL TO HAVE ASSESSMENT OF EFFECT WHICH CHANGES IN EC COMMISSION MAY HAVE ON THE POSSIBILITIES FOR MOVEMENT IN THIS AREA.

2. WE DO NOT BELIEVE IT APPROPRIATE TO APPROACH EC ON ORIGIN RULE ISSUE AT THIS TIME. HOWEVER, SUGGEST MISSION APPROACH SWEDISH MISSION (GABRIELSSON) FOR ASSESSMENT OF CURRENT SITUATION IN THE EC COMMISSION AND REPORT BACK  
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ASAP.

3. REFTTEL NOTES AUSTRIAN BELIEF THAT RECENT PERSONNEL CHANGES IN COMMISSION WILL FACILITATE WORK ON ORIGIN RULES. WOULD APPRECIATE ANY INSIGHT AS TO WHAT PERSONNEL CHANGES THE AUSTRIANS MIGHT BE REFERRING TO.  
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## Message Attributes

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